



MOUNT DESERT TWP, HANCOCK CO, MAINE

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# LOWER HADLOCK POND

Mount Desert Twp., Hancock Co.  
U.S.G.S. Southwest Harbor, ME (7 1/2')

## Fishes

Brown trout	White sucker
Brook trout	Hornpout (bullhead)
Rainbow smelt	Banded killifish
White perch	Pumpkinseed sunfish
Minnows	American eel
Golden shiner	
Common shiner	
Redbelly dace	

## Physical Characteristics

Area - 39 acres

Temperatures:

Maximum depth - 40 feet

Surface - 74°F

40 feet - 46°F

Principal fisheries: Brown trout, brook trout

Lower Hadlock is a scenic water with Norumbega Mountain rising up from the western shore. Access is easily gained over a road off Route 198 several miles north of Northeast Harbor. An adequate boat launching site is available for canoes/small boats. This pond is the water supply for Northeast Harbor, and swimming is not permitted.

Although water quality is adequate for trout management, dense populations of various competitive species limit production of trout. Stocked brown trout generally provide a fair fishery for 14-16" age III fish. This stocking is augmented with catchable size brook trout to provide more action for anglers in the winter and spring. Years ago, the pond yielded some good catches of attractively sized white perch, but this fishery has declined. Neither the numbers nor size of white perch is presently noteworthy. The outlet provides a small seasonal fishery for brook trout.

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